(c) Instructions are being issued to ensure that no alcoholic drinks are served in any function held in prestigious institutions like the National Museum.

**12 Noon**

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## ANNOUNCEMENT ABOUT ACCEPTANCE OF RESIGNATIONS OF MEMBERS

SHRI SUBRAMANIAN SWAMY (Uttar Pradesh): What has happened to the allegations made by the former Deputy Prime Minister in regard to Bofors? Is a fresh committee going to be appointed?

MR. CHAIRMAN: I have to inform the House that I had received letters from Shri Virendra Verma, Member representing the State of Uttar Pradesh, and Shri Krishan Kumar Deepak, Member representing the State of Haryana, resigning their seats in Rajya Sabha. I had accepted their resignations with effect from 14th June, 1990 and 13th July, 1990 respectively.

Proclamation under Article 356 of the Constitution. Shri Subodh Kant Sahay.

SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA (Karnataka): Is Mr Deepak going to be the new Chief Minister of Haryana?

श्री सुरेन्द्रजीत सिंह अहलूवालिया : (बिहार) इनकी क स्टीट्यूएंसी में लोगों की हत्याएं हुई हैं (व्यवधान) इनके लिए शर्म की बात है (व्यवधान)

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## PROCLAMATION UNDER ARTICLE 356 OF THE CONSTITUTION

THE MINSITER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SUBODH KANT SAHAY): I beg to lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers—

(i) Proclamation [G.S.R. No. 647-(E)] issued by the President on 18th July, 1990, under article 356 of the Constitution, in relation to the State Jammu and Kashmir, under clause (3) of the said 3article.

(ii) Order [GSR No. 648(E)] dated the 18th July, 1990, made by the President, under sub-clause (i) of clause (c) of the above Proclamation.

(iii) Report of the Governor of Jammu and Kashmir dated the 3rd July, 1990, to the President, recommending the issue of the Proclamation. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-1153/90].

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## PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

### Bills passed by the Houses of Parliament during the Hundred and Fifty-fourth Session of the Rajya Sabha and assented to by the President

SECRETARY-GENERAL: I beg to lay on the Table a statement (in English and Hindi) showing the Bills passed by the Houses of Parliament during the Hundred and Fifty-fourth Session of the Rajya Sabha and assented to by the President. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-1159/90].

(**The Deputy Chairman** in the Chair)

### Ordinance under sub-clause (a) of clause (2) of Article 123 of constitution

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI JAGDEEP DHANKAR): Madam, on behalf of SHRI PARVATHANENI UPENDRA, I lay on the Table under sub-clause (a) of clause (2) of Article 123 of the Constitution, copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Ordinances:—

(i) The Indian Council of World Affairs Ordinances, 1990 (No. 2 of 1990).

(ii) The Armed Forces (Jammu and Kashmir) Special Powers Ordinance, 1990 (No. 3 of 1990).

(iii) The Prevention of Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (Amendment) Ordinance, 1990 (No. 4 of 1990).

(iv) The Conservation of Foreign Exchange and Prevention of Smuggling Activities (Amendment) Ordinance, 1990 (No 5 of 1990).

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-1153A/90, 1154/90, 1155/90 and 1156/90].

**Notification of the Ministry fo Environment and Forests**

SHRI JAGDEEP DHANKAR: On behalf of SHRIMATI MANEKA GANDHI I also lay on the Table under section 26 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Environment and Forest Notification S.O. No. 375(E), dated the 10th May, 1990, amending notification S.O. No. 728(E), dated the 21st July, 1987, recognising Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board Laboratory, Arden, Motinagar, Shillong as environmental laboratory and also recognising Government Analysts. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-1234/90]

**Draft Notification of the Ministry of Industry (Department of Industrial Development) F. No. 12(3)/90-SSI(P)**

SHRI JAGDEEP DHANKAR: Madam, on behalf of SHRI SRIKANTA JENA, I also lay on the Table a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Industry (Department of Industrial Development) draft Notification (F. No. 12(3)/90-SSI (P)] specifying the requirements mentioned in the Table annexed to the Notification which shall be complied with by the industrial undertakings to enable them to be regarded as an ancillary or a small scale industrial undertaking for the purpose of the Industries (Development and Regulation) Act, 1951. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-1157/90].

SHRI S. S. AHLUWALIA (Bihar): What about his resignation?

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**DEMAND FOR EARLY SHORT DURATION DISCUSSION ON THE PRICE SITUATION IN THE COUNTRY**

SHRI N. K. P. SALVE (Maharashtra). Madam, the Chairman has been kind enough to admit a Short Duration Discussion on the price-rise. This is the most burning subject and topic throughout the country. But we find from the Order Paper that it is to be taken up at 2.30 p.m. Seeing the importance and urgency of the matter, which has been admitted, may I request you that as soon as the formality of laying the papers on the Table is over...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: It is already over.

SHRI N. K. P. SALVE: ... this may be taken up immediately so that we have an adequate debate on the subject.

SEVERAL HON. MEMERS: Yes, yes.

THE PRIME MINISTER (SHRI VISHWANATH PRATAP SINGH): This could be taken up. Though the Finance Minister is also taking the subject there, we can take this up.

SHRI N. K. P. SALVE: Thank you.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: But the Minister is not here.

SHRI N. K. P. SALVE: The Prime Minister is here.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: The other Minister is here. We can take it up, if the House agrees.

SHRI N. K. P. SALVE: He had been Finance Minister much longer than he has been Prime Minister today. He knows the subject very well. As long as he is here, he is good enough.